

\$66,000 THIEF GIVEN 3 YEARS

Memphis Teller for 12 Years
Missed Vacations to Shield
His Shortage.

COURT GETS HIS CONFESSION

Began With \$100 Holdout and Lived
in Hope of Making All Good—Never
Missed a Day or Was Late
—Strain Was Terrible.

Memphis, Tenn.—Alex V. Smith, formerly note teller for the First National bank, stood convicted, but elated with a three-year term, given to him after he had confessed to a \$66,001.37 peculation and pleaded guilty.

During the 12 years Smith was connected with the bank he never took a vacation, never was absent or late in reporting for duty. He told reporters in order to cover up the shortage he had to be continually on the job.

John D. Martin, Smith's counsel, read a copy of Smith's confession to the court in his plea for leniency. The confession says:

"I, Alex V. Smith of Raleigh, Tenn., do hereby make confession.

"I was born in Liverpool, England, on June 8, 1883. I left England and came to the United States when I was about twenty-two years old. After a short stay in New York city I came to Memphis, Tenn., and became a bank clerk in the employ of the Bank of Commerce of Memphis, where I worked for about nine months. I then entered the employ of the First National bank of Memphis, Tenn., and was continuously employed there until January 13, 1921. I was note teller at the First National bank for about 12 consecutive years. During this time I gave diligent attention to the duties of the position.

Began With \$100.

"About 11 years ago, one day after the vaults were closed, to accommodate a customer I took a deposit of about \$100. That night I used this money to pay a debt, hoping to replace it immediately. It was never replaced, and the shortage grew, until January 12, 1921, it amounted to \$66,501.37.

"My method of concealment was throughout the entire period of shortage to hold for a day or two, then remit, being in the manner always short in my remittances.

"I married about eight years ago, and at the time of my marriage my shortage was comparatively small. My family consists of my wife, aged thirty-one years, and three children, Alex V. Jr., aged seven; Jim Mangrum, aged six, and Jay Shaw, aged two years, nine months.

"The moneys which I embezzled from the bank were absorbed in my personal expense and extravagances. I have not dissipated money in gambling or speculation. I have, of course, entertained the vague hope that I could make restitution of these speculations, but have been crushed with the realization that this was impossible.

Strain Has Been Terrible.

"The strain of my situation has, of course, been terrible, and I have suffered immense mental torture for years.

"I have been unable to obtain sufficient sleep or rest except through the use of intoxicants, and have been compelled to resort to the same means as a stimulant to enable me to discharge the regular duties of my office.

"It is my intention and desire that in the event there should be an indictment returned against me on an account of my wrongdoing to immediately enter a plea of guilty to the same and throw myself without reservation upon the mercy of the court.

"It is my desire to receive such penalty as may be inflicted on me as speedily as possible, it being my desire, after I have met my punishment, to rise again and be a man. It will be my earnest effort to make good, in the fullest measure possible, the loss which has been occasioned as the result of my wrongdoing."

After the shortage was discovered Smith says regarding his conversation with bank officials:

"I gave them the exact figures, to wit, \$66,001.37, together with all data and documents pertaining thereto, thereby enabling the officials of the bank to make a speedy adjustment of their records. I gave the exact amount of my shortage as stated above, so that the bank would not be put to the necessity of a long, laborious and expensive audit of my accounts.

Chained Hound Fed by Alredale.

Polt Pleasant, W. Va.—"Pat," an Alredale puppy, owned by E. E. Thomas of this town, for some time has been bringing choice bones to "Jack," a hound, which Bert Shiflet, its master, keeps chained to its kennel. It was learned. Extra bones and choice bits of meat have been noticed near the kennel. Mrs. Shiflet watched and saw "Pat" approach with a large soup bone. He placed it in front of his friend, wagged his tail while it was devoured, and then romped away.

Vet Regains Voice.

Concordia, Kan.—Work in the harvest fields worked a miraculous cure for Henry Fallows of Pittsburgh, who had been unable to talk since he was shell shocked. He was prostrated by the heat. When he recovered consciousness he said: "Well, I can talk now."

Lots of Elderberry Wine; Pies and Jams Scarce

Harrisburg, Pa.—Elderberry pie and elderberry jam will be scarce in Pennsylvania next winter, according to reports received by state agriculture officials from farmers, but there will be no dearth of elderberry wine.

City wine makers in automobiles are robbing the elder bushes of their blossoms to make wine, the farmers complain.

With short strawberry and raspberry crops as a result of the drought, farmers were laying great store by their elderberry crop, but the other drought caused by national prohibition bids fair to make the elderberry crop short.

PAJAMAS "NOBBY" ON STREET

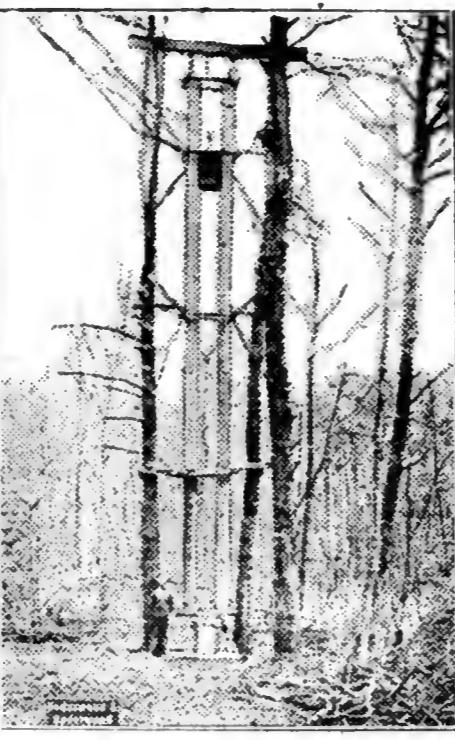
Russ Officer's Garb Leads to Distribution of Garments to Refugees.

Constantinople, Turkey.—American Red Cross and army pajamas are being converted into jaunty street clothes here by ingenious Russian refugee soldiers and civilians.

Hugh S. Bird, treasurer of the Red Cross, when here on a visit of inspection, saw a spick-and-span monocled Russian officer flourishing a cane and fanning himself with a straw hat at the local Red Cross offices. He noticed that the man had taken suit of pajamas, sewed shoulder strap braid on them, strapped his officer's belt about them and rolled up the bottoms to give a trouser effect.

Mr. Bird thought so well of the ingenuity of the man, who had defeated the hot weather, that he gave orders for several thousand more pajamas to be distributed, so no Russian need wear his heavy, shabby winter clothes.

TESTING DEPTH BOMB.



Our crack yankee tars of the Pacific fleet have found a new method of experimenting with depth bombs. In a forest near Tacoma, a contrivance, here, has been constructed. It is built after the fashion of a pile driver. A test bomb is placed directly beneath the weight at the top of the grooved slide, and the weight is permitted to drop naturally. It has been found that the velocity attained by dropping from different heights gives to the weight a pressure equal to that of the water at corresponding depths. The result is that data is secured so that at sea explosions can be timed accurately, thus preventing premature explosions which might injure the ship carrying the bombs and fail to destroy enemy craft.

BOY BURNS UP MOTORBOAT

Heard Mother Objecting to Father Taking Ride in Craft, So He Destroyed It.

Philadelphia.—The mystery of the burning of the powerboat Susan G. at Camden has been cleared up by the confession of Ernest Gries, Jr., seventeen years old.

The youth told the police he burned the boat to please his mother. He told of lying on the lounge in the sitting room of his home while his mother and father were arguing over a trip the father wanted to take on the craft with a boat club over the holiday. Mrs. Gries did not want her husband to go.

The boy said he told his mother he would burn the boat, and so, early in the morning, he went aboard in his canoe, soaked everything with gasoline from the tank, set it on fire and was blown overboard. He swam ashore, he said, and went to bed.

FLIES 300 MILES AN HOUR

Monoplane Invented by Italian Engineer Said to Need Little Landing Space.

Rome, Italy.—An airplane capable of landing without the need of a large aviation field, able to travel more than 300 miles an hour and, if necessary, to meander along at only a few miles an hour is announced as the invention of an Italian engineer, Emanuele Bertucci of Rome.

The inventor reports that he has already tried out the machine on a small scale and regards his first experiments as indicative of the success of the invention. The new machine is primarily intended for aerial war chasing and is to be armed with a machine gun. It is a monoplane.

CUBA IS FREE OF 'EL POTE'

Island Republic Rejoices at the Death of its Richest Millionaire.

CRUEL POWER OF WEALTH

Peasant Trod Down Millions as He Piled up Riches on Misfortunes of Others—Lived and Died a Brute.

Havana.—"El Pote" is dead and all Cuba rejoices. The peasant who became a millionaire many times over and used his wealth to wield a cruel power died as he had lived, haunted and hated, a victim of his own power. In 40 years he established a career lurid with tragedy, dark with sordid scheming, tremendous with both success and failure. A year ago reputed the richest man in Cuba, he came to a miserable end at his own hands, and almost his last words were that the wealth which cost him 40 years of unremitting toil to accumulate did not yield him one hour of happiness.

Jose Lopez Rodriguez was known to virtually every one in Cuba. He was a strange, sinister figure, and even in death he furnishes a remarkable example of what can be accomplished by the constant, ruthless application of power to a single task. "El Pote" (the pot bell) was his watchdog, his motto, the rule of his sordid life; and it was from this that he came to be called "El Pote," the name with which millions became familiar. For years he thrived, at the expense of others. Then the fortunes of war turned against him, and, fearing the loss of all his ill-gotten gains, he committed suicide by hanging himself with a twisted sheet.

Filthy of Body.

Not more than five feet in height, "El Pote" had the powerful, thickset frame typical of the Gallego peasant. He wore the oldest clothes he could find and was foul of mind and speech and filthy of body.

Jose Lopez Rodriguez was born in Spain and emigrated to Cuba in his fifteenth year, fleeing from the hard conditions of the Gallego peasant life. In Havana for a while he worked with pick and shovel, but as soon as he could be abandoned such hard manual labor to work for an old second-hand book dealer, peddling the books from house to house. One morning his aged employer was found dead in his bed and young Lopez Rodriguez, who slept on the premises, was arrested on suspicion of murder, but after spending some time in prison he was released for lack of sufficient evidence to incite.

The widow of the murdered bookseller continued the business and Lopez Rodriguez, after his release from prison, returned to his old employment. One morning the widow was found hanging in her room, but no evidence found to confirm a suspicion that there had been foul play, a verdict of suicide was returned. By the time the young employee had saved up some money and he bought the business.

Piles Dollar on Dollar.

Living upon almost nothing and working tirelessly, he steadily increased his trade and piled one dollar on another until with the passage of the years his fortune grew to respectable dimensions.

When, after the wealth of Cubans had been drained by three years of revolution and embargo, the American fleet blockaded Havana in 1898, "El Pote"—for by that time he had come universally to be known by his sobriquet—was able to acquire for cash large properties for a tithe of their value, and when the Cuban republic was set up he was a rich man among men who had been ruined. The latter were compelled to go to him for cash which he alone was able to lend. And so it came to pass that many of those to whom the government of the young republic was entrusted were his debtors—which he never allowed them to forget.

He secured a monopoly on all Cuban printing, for which scandal scores went to jail. Then he got control of one of the biggest banks and wrecked that, "borrowing" no less than \$11,000,000 without security of any kind. He loaned millions, but always demanded from 50 to 100 per cent interest.

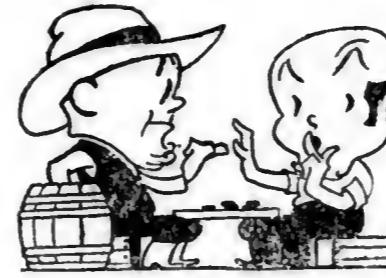
It is believed that after the payment of all debts the estate of Jose Lopez Rodriguez will be worth somewhere around \$10,000,000, proving that it was not the fear of penury that drove him to end his life in the fashion by which his employer 40 years ago had died and which had marked the beginning of his own infamy.

Doctors Operated.

St. Louis.—Carl Williams, a negro, held by the police on a minor charge, the other day complained of stomach pains. An examination revealed he had swallowed a key and a nail. "Mighty funny; things like that don't usually bother me," he remarked. He was operated on for their removal.

Seggs "Rocket to Moon" Fund. Worcester, Mass.—To send a rocket to the moon, as Prof. Robert H. Goddard of Clark college plans to do, will cost money, and the funds for completion of his experiments may be obtained by public subscription.

Don't stick with the prunes



MY DAD'S favorite yarn.
WAS THE one about
THE OLD storekeeper.
WHO WAS playing checkers.
IN THE back of the store.
AMONG THE coal oil.
AND THE prunes.
WHEN THE sheriff.
WHO HAD just jumped his king.
SAID "Si there's a customer.
WAITIN' OUT front."
AND SI said "Sh-h-h!
IF YOU'LL keep quiet.
MEBBE HE'LL go away."
NOW HERE'S the big idea.
WHEN A good thing.
HAPPENS ALONG.
DON'T LEAVE it to George.
TO GRAB the gravy.
FOR INSTANCE IF.

YOU HEAR of a smoke.
OR READ about a smoke.
THAT REALLY does more.
THAN PLEASE the taste.
THERE ARE no hooks on you.
THERE'S NO law against
YOUR STEPPING up.
WITH THE other live ones.
AND SAYING right out.
IN A loud, clear voice.
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Declares This Lady.

"I suffered for a long time with womanly weakness," says Mrs. J. R. Simpson, of 57 Spruce St., Asheville, N. C. "I finally got to the place where it was an effort for me to go. I would have bearing-down pains in my side and back—especially severe across my back, and down in my side with a great deal of soreness. I was nervous and easily upset.

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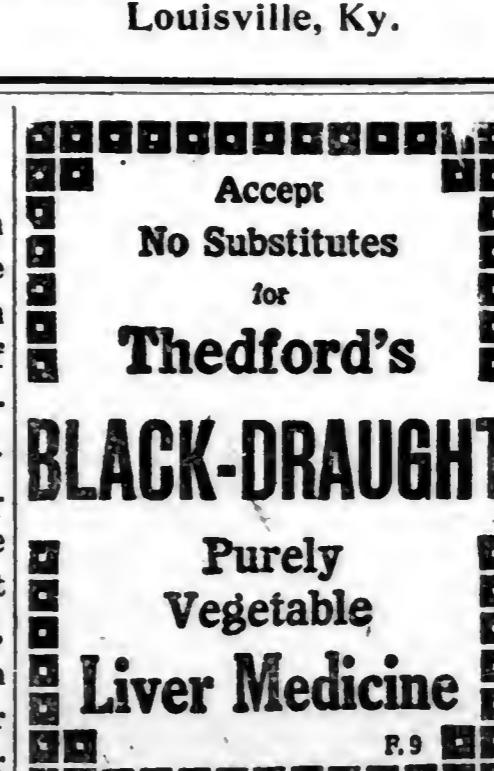
ALL
DRUGGISTS

Relief in Sight.

If a settlement of the Irish question is made that will be reasonably satisfactory to both sides it will be one great relief not only to them, but to the people of the United States as well.

Our country today is practically divided into two camps on the subject—a minority of ardent champions of the Irish cause, and a majority who believe in letting countries on the other side of the water manage their own affairs without interference from us.

It is a source of uneasiness to many professional politicians who want to keep in the good graces of their Irish constituents, yet year to alienate the support of those in the other camp. It keeps them wiggling and squirming in an attempt to say something and yet at the same time say nothing.



We have had one great division of principle in this country. We do not want another. The Irish question cannot be amicably adjusted any too soon to suit our Uncle Samuel.

Monday, July 19th, 1913 the temperature registered 103 by the government thermometer in Louisville.

Henry Ford may buy the Wabash railroad to effect an entrance into Toledo, and in order to reach St. Louis.



The CLAN CALL
by Hapsburg Liebe
Illustrations by Irwin Myers

THE pull of a strange fascination took Bill Dale, city-bred but mountain-minded, to the Tennessee hills. Joining the Morelands, he took up their friendships and enmities. Love healed one feud; but there was coal under David Moreland's mountain, and a new feud was born.

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Selected as a serial for the delight of readers of this publication. Do not miss it!

Gradyville

We have had fine rains during the past week.

Our growing crops of corn and tobacco are looking fine since the rain.

W. B. Hill spent last Saturday and Sunday at Bakerton.

James Buchanan, the popular groceryman of Campbellsville, was here the first of the week.

Uncle Robert O' Keltner, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, does not improve fast.

Mr. Curt Bell, the efficient merchant of Red Lick, passed through here last Friday en route for Columbia.

Judge James Kinnaird, of Edmonton, called in to see us for a few minutes on his return from Columbia, a few days ago. Judge Kinnaird reports business very good in his town.

Mr. E. E. Nell and children, after spending several days at Edmonton visiting relatives and friends, returned home the first of the week.

Mr. Ray Flowers, of Columbia whose health is not as good as he desires, is using the water from G. E. Nell's sulphur well. Mr. Flowers thinks the water is doing him good.

David Kinnaird, of Nell, was in our midst last Friday, and reported good rains in his community last week, and everything in the way of vegetation were looking fine.

Quite a lot of sickness in this and adjoining communities at this time. Several cases of typhoid fever and flux.

Judge Smith and Hon. Hebron

ron Lawrence, of Tompkinsville, in company with Judge J. Hancock, of Columbia, spent last Monday in our town, looking after their interest in the primary.

Mr. Lawrence called in his appointment here on account of religious services in our town.

The work on the new pike from this place to Columbia is being pushed. Our people have the spirit of good roads on again and we take it, before the cold season is put on our pike to Columbia will be completed. Nothing speaks better for a community than good roads.

J. F. Pendleton, of Greensburg, sent over word that he would be in our midst last Monday, to buy all kinds of stock that were on the market. About the 10 o'clock hour, he in company with Mr. Bridgewater arrived, and found a lot of our farmers with their calves and lambs

ready to be weighed up, for which he paid the market price. Mr. L. B. Cain was also present and received a number of calves and cattle. Both of the above men are worth a great deal to this community, for they are both always ready to buy all kinds of stock at the market price.

Rev. Lee Pendleton, of Greensburg, is conducting a revival service at the Baptist church in our city at this time. The meeting is daily growing in interest. Up to this time there has been a number of professions. All denominations are very much interested. The indications are that this will be one of the greatest revivals that has been in this community for years.

Man Wanted.

Wanted—A man for hard work and rapid promotion; a man who can find things to be done without the help of a manager and three assistants.

A man who gets to work on time in the morning and does not imperil the lives of others in an attempt to be first out of the office at night.

A man who is neat in appearance and does not sulk for an hour's overtime in emergencies.

A man who listens carefully

when he is spoken to and asks only enough questions to insure the accurate carrying out of instructions.

A man who moves quickly and makes as little noise as possible about it.

A man who looks you straight in the eye and tells the truth every time.

A man who does not pity himself for having to work.

A man who is cheerful, courteous to everyone and determined to "make good."

A man who, when he does not know, says, "I don't know," and when he is asked to do anything says, "I'll try."

A man who does not make the same mistake twice, who is not a goody-goody a pig or a cad, but who does the very best he knows how with every task entrusted to him.

This man is wanted everywhere. Age or lack of experience do not count. There isn't any limit, except his own ambition, to the number or the size of the jobs he can get.

He is wanted in every big business from Maine to California—Herbert Hoover.

Two persons were killed in Louisville Sunday in automobile accidents and four more injured.

A man who listens carefully

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Tariff on shoes was beaten in the House by the Western Republican Congressmen voting with the Democrats.

Soldier boys, you put up your lives to save this country from Germany, but your uncle, Warren G. Harding, killed your bonus bill.

Gov. Small, of Illinois, has been indicted for embezzling the State's funds. He at first refused to submit to arrest, but he concluded that he could not fight the courts, and has surrendered for trial.

All members of the Irish Parliament, who are now in jail, are to be released. This action is taken in order to give the Irish officials an opportunity to discuss the settlement of the Irish question with England.

Warren C. Spurgin is on the wing and officers are scouring the country. He has just robbed a Trust Company of Chicago out of \$700,000. It is believed now that he is headed for Mexico. His wife and daughter went to Detroit, but they can not be located.

Charles H. Searcy has been selected by the Republican State Committee, to succeed the late A. T. Hert as Kentucky's National Committeeman. Robt. W. Hunter was named as State Chairman. Mrs. John W. Langley, of Pikeville, was elected Vice Chairman of the State Central Committee.

Irwin C. Lynch, who stole \$15,000 from the Standard Oil Company and given two years in the penitentiary, at Frankfort, has been paroled after serving one year. Another firm has offered him a good position. That is one way to treat criminals.

Judge Quin, who is a member of the Court of Appeals, and who was recently nominated by the Republicans for the office of Mayor of the city of Louisville, refuses to resign his present position until after the November election. His friends over the State are condemning his action. If he wants the office of Mayor, he should resign his present post.

The bootleggers and moonshiners over the State continue to defy the officers. Two or more men are killed daily, and the making and selling of liquor goes right along. The fact is, the moonshiners have the backing of many men who call themselves good citizens. When it comes to selling bottle in bond whisky, who is mostly interested in the sale of it?

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200 Pure Bred Bucks and Ewes. 2000 High Grade Ewes.
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Important Message.

Tompkinsville, Ky., Aug. 1, 1921
J. E. Murrell:

The Attorney General of Kentucky has ordered the Sheriff of Christian county to collect the poll tax for school purposes off women voters.

J. C. Carter.
Please publish.

This applies to the whole State.

We have just looked over a copy of the Ashland Daily Independent, a paper that was established in 1895, and is now edited by Mr. Paul J. Hughes, who is a son of Mr. E. H. Hughes, of the First National Bank, this place. The paper is independent in politics, and from its appearance it is doing a splendid business, as its columns are filled with live advertising matter. The present editor is a splendid young man, well educated, and has heretofore engaged in the newspaper business. In his new venture he has the best wishes of this publication.

The Louisville Post in speaking of Gov. Morrow's contem-

plated visit to Louisville, to make speeches for the fall election, says: "It is said upon ap-

parently good authority that Gov. E. P. Morrow will make a number of speeches in Louisville this fall for the Searcy ticket. Fine! Let the Governor come by

all means, and let him bring Maurice Galvin with him. We can be certain that both would be given careful attention if they could be prevailed upon to

discuss the Frank Blair pardon. And let Governor Morrow be sure of one thing. If he comes to Louisville, this year or any other year, to make a political speech, he will be expected to tell us something about Blair and his

pardon. The people of Louisville have not forgotten that incident, and are not likely to forget it. And, perhaps, the Franklin county grand jury, when it next convenes, will be able to adduce some information that may add to the interest in that little affair."

Good rains fell in many parts of the State the first of last week. The farmers are smiling and the business men are also happy.

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At Absolute Auction On The Premises, At 10 a. m. Sharp.

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Contains 49½ acres good, strong limestone land. Fine tobacco and hemp soil. Everlasting springs, cistern at door, one of the best wells in the county, 75 feet deep, branch, etc. Seven acres in clover, 8 in corn and 34½ in blue grass sod.

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Contains 72½ acres. All lays exceedingly well. Ten acres in fine timothy meadows, 16½ acres in blue grass sod and 46 acres in corn. This one is a "PEACH." You don't find many like this one. Two good orchards just beginning to bear. Concrete trough 10x4x3 feet deep at everlasting spring, water in barn with force pump, splendid well, springs and river.

IMPROVEMENTS—Elegant two story, seven-room residence, two large halls, three concrete porches, concrete cellar 12x12x8 feet deep, with smoke house over it, barn 50x60, wagon shed, new crib, tool house, scales, garage and a world of other outbuildings. Twenty-five acres of this farm in bottoms as rich as cream and as fertile as the Valley of the Nile. You may find as good land as this in other counties in Kentucky, but we don't care where you go you will not find any BETTER dirt than this. Saying a "Heap" but as true as Holy Writ. Choice nifty stuff, tract will be subdivided into Baby Farms from three acres on up. Pretty shade, beautiful lawn nice approach, just the right distance from town and no better neighborhood anywhere. It looks like HOME, feels like HOME, and is HOME.

PERSONALITY—One 10-year old mare, work anywhere; pair good mare mules; four extra good milk cows; 11 yearling heifers; 7 extra good stock ewes; 4 brood sows; 22 small shoats, 50 lbs; one two-horse wagon; mowing machine; runabout, and harness; riding cultivator; walking cultivator, and all kinds of farm tools, set blacksmith tools; Ford touring car, good running order; corn sheller; about 8,000 good split white oak tobacco sticks; lot of hay and corn; one hog scalding box; one 65-gallon kettle; wagon harness and plow gear; grind stone; antique furniture—cherry and walnut; two excellent range steves; household and kitchen furniture, etc.

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PERSONAL

Mrs. Talmage Smith and three children arrived last week and will spend some time at the home of Mrs. Smith's father, Mr. W. T. McFarland. Talmage a three and one half year old son is a very remarkable boy intellectually, astounding grown persons who converse with him.

Mrs. W. E. Jeffries and daughter, Miss Mamie, of Vaughn, New Mexico, who visited here several weeks, left for home last Tuesday morning, but will make a stop or two en route. Their visit to this place was exceedingly pleasant.

Mr. Mansford Cartwright and wife, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., arrived here last week for a few day's visit, he being a nephew of Dr. W. F. Cartwright. From here they went to South Carolina, to visit other relatives.

Mr. L. G. Benard and wife, and Mr. Aulus Benard, were here from James town last Tuesday. Mr. Aulus Benard resides in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. W. H. Eubank arrived from Louisville some days ago and will be here several weeks.

Mr. John A. Caldwell and wife, who live in Covington, visited Miss Mollie Caldwell and other relatives last week.

Mrs. Frances Montgomery and Miss Louise Rowe have returned to Bowling Green.

Miss Jeannette Pryor of Wheeling, W. Va., is at the home of Mr. Robt. Conover.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Peley, who have been visiting their daughters in Barboursville and Berea for the past three months, returned home last Thursday.

Mr. W. M. Diddle and wife, of Adairville, Logan county, who visited Mrs. Diddle's parents, Mr. W. S. Knight and wife, Jamestown, stopped over night Thursday, at the home of Mr. E. H. Hughes, en route home.

Prof. A. P. Prather and wife, who have been spending their vacation in the upper counties, returned to Columbia last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo Russell, two sons and a daughter, Louisville, visited relatives in Columbia from Thursday until Sunday.

Mr. W. H. Goff, of Monticello, was here last Thursday.

Mr. C. C. Stephens, who met with an accident some weeks ago, was able to be over in town last Thursday. He thinks he will soon be himself again.

Miss Ruth Lyon, Campbellsville, was visiting in Columbia and in the vicinity of town last week.

Mrs. Malina Montgomery, Cane Valley, spent last week with Mrs. T. A. Firkin.

Mr. John Q. Alexander, Louisville, called upon the Columbia merchants last week.

Mr. Leslie Graves, Campbellsville, was here taking orders, last Thursday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Montgomery, wife of Mr. J. F. Montgomery, is improving, but the progress is very slowly.

Mr. Wm. Welch, of Hazard, Ky., spent last week, visiting at the home of Dr. S. P. Miller.

Mr. W. E. Sarvent, wife, and little daughter, Lois, who have been here for the past six or eight weeks, Mr. Sarvent being interested in the oil business, left for New York via Chicago, last Friday morning. Those who became acquainted with them speak in very complimentary terms of their stay in Columbia.

Miss Sarah Barger and Miss Catherine Dunbar graced the News office last Friday morning.

Mr. J. O. Mitchell and wife, who was Miss Maud Coffey before her marriage, and two children, visited at Mrs. Sallie McLean's to days of last week. They reside at Stearns, Ky.

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Announcements

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE

We are authorized to announce that **W. C. Carter**, of Monroe county, is a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Court Judge in the 29th Judicial district of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Republican primary, to be held the first Saturday in August, 1921.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY

We are authorized to announce that **A. A. Huddleston**, of Cumberland County, is a candidate for re-election to the office of Commonwealth's Attorney in the 29th Judicial district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held the first Saturday in August, 1921.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce that **W. B. Patterson** is a candidate for Sheriff of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party, expressed at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce that **Geo. Coffey** is a candidate for Sheriff of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party, expressed at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce that **J. W. Woford**, of Casey Creek, a candidate for sheriff of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce that **C. C. Bowen**, of Sparksville precinct, is a candidate for Sheriff of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, to be held Saturday, August.

For County Judge

We are authorized to announce **Geo. T. Merriford** a candidate for Judge of the Adair County Court, subject to the action of the Republican primary to help the first Saturday in August.

We are authorized to announce that **Walter S. Sinclair** is a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held the first Saturday in August.

We are authorized to announce **L. E. Hurt** a candidate for Judge of the Adair County Court, subject to the action of the Republican primary, to be held August 6.

FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK

We are authorized to announce **Mr. William Moore** a candidate for County Court Clerk of Adair County, subject to the action of the Republican primary, as expressed at the primary, the first Saturday in August.

We are authorized to announce **Mr. C. C. Moore** a candidate for re-election to the County Court Clerk of Adair County, subject to the action of the Republican party, as expressed at the first Saturday in August.

We are authorized to announce that **Christine Neil**, of Gradyville, is a candidate for County Court Clerk of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party, expressed at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce that **Geo. W. Rubarts**, Eunice precinct, is a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, to be held the first Saturday in August.

FOR JAILER

We are authorized to announce **Frank Woford Miller**, of the Eunice precinct, a candidate for Jailer of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, to be held in August.

FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK

We are authorized to announce **M. C. Wintrey** a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Court Clerk of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held the first Saturday in August, 1921.

We are authorized to announce **W. E. Price** a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party, expressed at the primary the first Saturday in August.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

We are authorized to announce **J. J. Hancock** a candidate for County Attorney of Adair County, subject to the action of the Republican party, to be expressed at the August primary to be held August 6th.

We are authorized to announce **W. A. Coffey** a candidate for re-election to the office of County Attorney of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, to be held the first Saturday in August.

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce **Rol- lin B. Patton** a candidate for Tax Commissioner of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party, expressed at the August primary.

FOR MAGISTRATE

We are authorized to announce that **B. O. Hurt** is a candidate for Magistrate in District No. 2, composed of Eunice, Little Cake, White Oak and Ozark voting precincts, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 6.

A modern tale of romance, the characters of which might fit an earlier century.

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Located in one of those feud sections of the South, where one meets that oddly blended blood of Puritan and Cavalier; where God-fearing men recognize few laws excepting those of their own making; where they read the Bible, pray for their enemies and then go forth heavily armed prepared to kill on sight; where the sufferings of the women, mother-love, wife-love and sister-love are working a change in code and gradually subduing primitive instincts.

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Read it as a serial in these columns

Hogwallow, Ky.

A nice shower of rain visited this vicinity Tuesday, and settled the dust on the mail carrier's back.

The fellow who ran the livery stable at Tickville for several years has cut off his long mustache and done away with his light broad-brimmed hat and big watch chain. He now wears a cap as he runs a garage.

Washington Hock's home has been brightened by the arrival of a new phonograph, which came yesterday. Wash says one beauty about phonograph is that it don't have to practice a lot before it begins to sing and play.

Atlas Peck was in Bounding Billows with his wife yesterday but every time he turned to look at a girl his wife would tell him to come on and not let the children get run over.

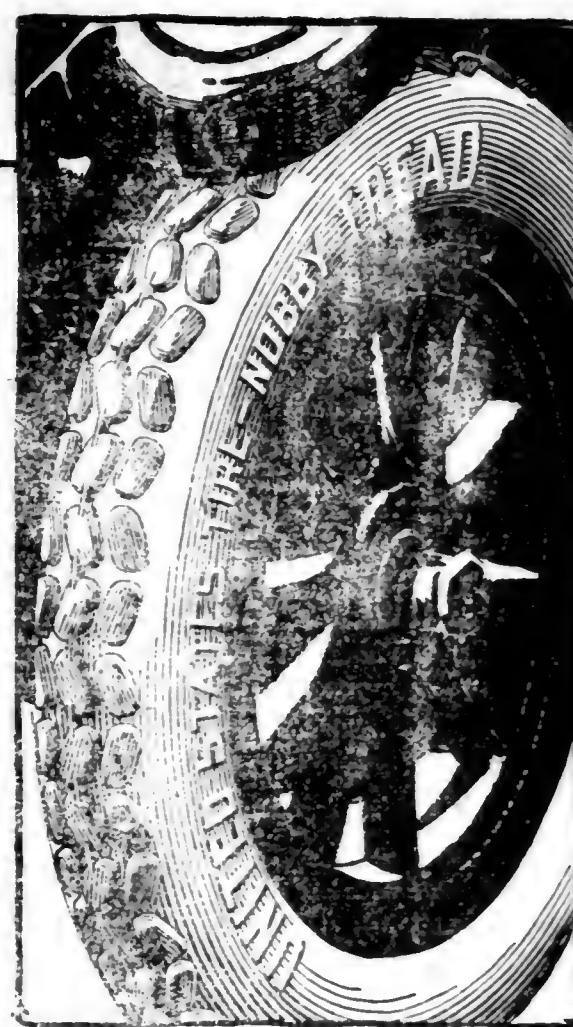
Sidney Hocks is having a hard time trying to stay in society. He dressed up from head to foot and was aiming to look nicer than anybody at the party Saturday night, and then his mule had to go and throw him.

Frisby Hancock has swapped calf for a watch and chain, which he will wear to referee the sermon.

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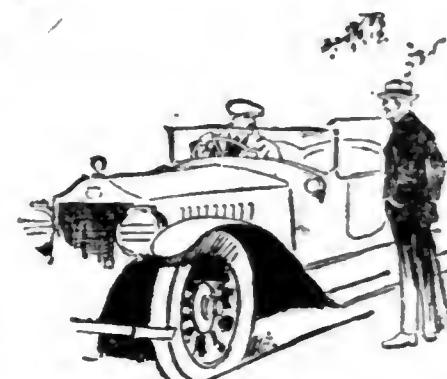
everything by the way of "staggering bargains", "hurrah discounts", "discontinued lines at less" and so forth they know what not to get.

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While Slim Flinders was absorbed in witnessing a patent medicine show at Rye Straw Saturday some unknown pickpocket ransacked his pockets, but in their haste they overlooked his watch charm that hung on the outside in plain view.

Slim Pickens attended an entertainment made up of fine lady singing at Bounding Billows Thursday night. The other five

in the audience clapped their hands and stamped their feet and Slim did too.

The Blind Man, who plays the hand organ on the bank corner at Tickville, is sick this week, and has engaged Salem Barlow, our enterprising banjo picker, to play in his place. Salem gets half he takes in.

Fletcher Henstep says you can tell the age of a cow by the wrinkles on her horn, but that

you can't tell the age of a woman by the wrinkles in her skirt.

A woman held as a bigamist was tarred and feathered near Dallas, Texas.

Based on the low average of 3,000 miles to each tire, the total mileage delivered by the total Goodyear output in 22 years would equal a distance equivalent to 150,000 round trips between the earth and the moon.

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An iceberg a mile and a third long and towering seventy five feet above the water is threatening the lanes of ocean travel.

And—but what's the use—it's enough tires to more than equip every motor vehicle in the United States with a complete set.

Hapsburg Liebe



Hapsburg Liebe (Charles Haven Liebe), a native of Tennessee, has been soldier, timberjack and sawmill man. In his education he was denied even the little red school house, his alma mater being a log structure in the hills which he left by way of window at twelve years of age. But he had a taste for reading and has acquired a fine command of English and a writing style through study of the best authors.

At seventeen he commenced writing and turned out eighteen stories all rejected by the editors. He was almost discouraged; but his nineteenth effort stuck with a respectable magazine. Lack of education made the way doubly hard; but now, when he sells all he writes, he will tell you that the experience was worth all it cost.

Gritty! Indeed he is! At eighteen he joined a regiment for service in the Philippines. Time to entrain found him ill with pneumonia. Again he was dismissed by his captain and the orders of his doctor, he accompanied the outfit, being carried to the cars by his buddies. Most of his stories are about the Tennessee and Kentucky mountaineers. They are his people and better than any other writer he knows and loves them. "The Old Gall" is his most delightful tale, will soon start as a serial in this paper. Your misfortune if you miss it.

June 27, 1921.
Mr. K. K. Bell, Gen'l Mgr.
Calumet Baking Powder Co.,
4100 Fillmore St.,
Chicago, II.

Dear Mr. Bell:

As an expression of appreciation of the valuable service rendered by your Company to the Retail Grocers of the United States through coupling reading matter with your advertising as news items defending the Retailer—the 24th Annual Convention of the National Association of Retail Grocers in Kansas City, Missouri on June 6, 7, 8, 1921, unanimously adopted the following resolution—presented by John C. Coode of Tenn., and seconded by A. A. LaRose, of Louisiana:

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BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the National Association of Retail Grocers in Convention assembled, endorse and commend the action of the Calumet Baking Powder Co., in giving the facts regarding the Retail Grocers of the United States."

Very truly yours,
National Association Retail Grocers
H. C. Balsigler, Secretary.

During the five months of active participation in the fighting in France nearly fifty thousand Americans were killed in battle, but in the same year some four thousand persons were killed while crossing the street or walking on some peaceful country road; and that form of slaughter continues and increases year after year. In the number of casualties that it causes carelessness is as terrible as war.—Ex.

J. T. Anderson was mysteriously assaulted on a house boat at Paducah and died from injuries in a hospital.

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THE ADAIR COUNTY NEWS
Columbia, Ky.

Farm Life Looking Up.

A noted writer declares that in time the lonesomeness of farm life will be done away with, and that tilling the soil will become a popular vocation.

He might have said that much of the lonesomeness has already been banished, and that the remainder is rapidly disappearing.

The automobile has done it.

There is no need for the farmer or his family or his help to feel lonesome these days.

Distance no longer exists for him.

With his car he can be in town at any time within a few minutes. He can visit his neighbors for miles around any evening after supper, while attending at church on Sunday and social gatherings at other times require but little more effort than is consumed in walking around a city block.

His life in many ways is preferable to that of the city dweller. His health is enhanced by the sunshine and the pure country air that he breathes. His life is not menaced by the constant stream of cars driven by reckless motorists, as is the case in most cities.

His children grow to maturity in the purity of contact with nature, instead of being surrounded by the questionable environment of more congested centers, where there is little opportunity to sift the good from the bad. He is free to go and come as he desires and is not hedged around with the myriads of restrictions and laws of the city man.

Tilling the soil is popular now. It will become more so as time

goes on and the beauties and advantages of nature are better known and understood by those who now live by a clock and factory whistle.—Lancaster Standard.

Kentucky Fair Dates.

Jefferson County Fair, Bechtel, August 9-12.

Union County Fair, Uniontown, August 9-13.

New Perryville Fair Association, Perryville, Aug. 10-12.

Mt. Vernon Fair Association, Mt. Vernon, August 10-12.

Lawrenceburg Fair Association, Lawrenceburg, Aug. 16-18.

Brodhead Fair Association, Brodhead, August 17-19.

Ewing Fair Company, Ewing, August 18-20.

Laural County Fair Company, London, August 23-26.

Germantown Fair, Germantown, August 24-27.

Adair County Fair, Columbia, August 30-Sept. 2.

Pulaski County Fair, Somerset, August 30-Sept. 2.

Pennyroyal Fair, Hopkinsville, August 30-Sept. 2.

Knox County Fair, Barbourville, August 30-Sept. 2.

North Kentucky Fair, Florence, August 3.

Campbell County Agricultural Society, Alexandria, Aug. 3-Sept. 3.

LaRue County Fair Association, Hodgenville, Sept. 1-3.

Blue Grass Fair, Lexington, Sept. 4-10.

Kentucky State Fair, Louisville, Sept. 11-17.

At Cleveland Mrs. Eva Catherine Kaker was given a life sentence for the murder of her husband.

Columbia Fair Aug. 30, 31, Sept. 1 and 2.

Every Day A Big Day.

Three Thoroughbred Races, One Hundred Dollars Each. Three Free For All, Trot Or Pacing Races, One Hundred Dollars Each.

Plug Horse and Mule Races Every Day.

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Get your stock ready for the Columbia Fair.

Mr. Chelcie Barger has accepted a position at Corbin, Ky., and has entered upon the discharge of his duties. Mr. Goebel Clayton succeeded him in Barger Bros' store.

The county Republican candidates all seem to be confident. However, it often a slip between the cup and lip. If there were only white men we could name the can who will win, but the colored men are an uncertain quantity.

Teachers' Association.

Teachers' Association Div. 4 will be held at Knifley August 12.

Music.

Opening Exercises.

Devotional—Rev. A. Yancy.

Program by School children.

Primary Plans and Method—Mabel Studman.

Order and Discipline—Joe Abell.

Let the Pupils drink from a running brook and not from a stagnant pool—Oscar Sinclair.

Reading—Ina Hovious.

The highest function of the school is character building—Mrs. W. L. Russell.

A prophecy on the 1950 school—Julius Hatfield.

Importance of good reading—Bess Cabell Henson.

Picture Study—Hallie Cheif.

Starting Right—Mrs. Hovious.

Reading—Grace Wolford.

The Home, the Teacher and the School—Mrs. W. B. Hovious, Mrs. Russell.

Unity and Union in the School—Mrs. Ethel Brockman.

Dream Vision of Schools—Mr. Hatfield and others.

The School as a Social Center—Asst. Prof. Loy.

Hallie Cheif,
Mrs. Gertrude Christie,
Mrs. W. B. Hovious,
Committee.

Reduction of the United States army to 150,000 men will do away with all cantonments but four, Camp Knox, of Kentucky, being one of the four that will remain.

A bullet having spent its force in all probability saved the life of Miss Josephine Cherry, of Bowling Green, who is educational director of her father's school. W. C. Poston, an officer, fired at a man who was endeavoring to steal an automobile belonging to B. C. White. The bullet went through the window of the home of Dr. H. H. Cherry, three blocks away and fell on the bed of the aforesaid daughter. She was not hurt.

THEY DO NOT VOTE.

There are 105,273,049 persons in the United States.

Of these 2,653,422 are insane or illiterate.

Deduct also those not old enough to vote.

That leaves 57,527,629 possible voters in this country.

Now observe: only 26,674,574 votes were cast the last Presidential election.

More persons did not vote than voted, 30,853,055 stay-at-homes, 53 per cent slackers!

The best showing is in the West-North Central States, with 36.3 per cent of non-voters.

Then come the East-North Central States with 42.9 per cent, and the Mountain States with 46.9 per cent.

Close together are the Pacific States (56.1 per cent), the New

England States (56.2), and the Middle Atlantic States.

The list is closed by the South Atlantic States (65.8 per cent not voting) and East-South Central States (67.9 per cent).

Evidently the greater part of our citizenship has no vital interest in our national Government.

No republic is in a safe condition that is run by half of the people.

Montpelier.

Farmers in this section are feeling blue. The corn, oats, and hay crop was cut nearly in half by the draught. The quality of the wheat threshed was average but the average of the wheat crop, sown last fall was only about one fourth of the usual crop.

Henry Burton at the poor farm was jerked down a few days ago by a cow he was driving and broke his wrist. Dr. S. A. Taylor reduced the fracture.

Messrs. Lawrence and Smith, of Tompkinsville, and Judge Sinclair and Junius Hancock, of Columbia, addressed a large audience here on the 22nd in interest of their respective campaigns.

Mrs. Martin Rowe is teaching the school at this place. Miss Pearl Bradshaw will teach at Jamestown, and W. G. Aaron at Crab Orchard. Misses Lula and Margie Helm and Johnnie Wilson are teaching in Russell county.

Messrs. McKelvey and Heiser, organizers for the Farmers Union delivered two very able address-

es at the school house last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Tom Pulliam and Mrs. Elbert Pulliam, of Breeding visited the family of J. Reece a day or two last week.

Zach Taylor, wife and little daughter, whose home is in Kansas, are visiting Mr. Taylor's mother. Mrs. Addie Taylor.

M. F. Dudley, of Oklahoma City, visited relatives in this section a short time ago.

Ozark.

We had a good rain last week for which we should be truly thankful. There are many ways to express our appreciation of God's blessings, besides uttering the words, by being kind to those less fortunate, administering to the afflicted, really trying to make somebody happier each day. For the Savior said "as ye did unto the least of these ye did it unto me."

Quarterly meeting was held at Clear Spring Saturday and Sunday. Your correspondent was sick and could not attend, but understand large crowds attended each meeting. Bro. Wade delivered able sermons.

The Holiness people, Holy Rollers, as they call themselves, have pitched their tents at Garrison, Concord, and are expected at Oak Grove this week. Truly the people of this world are being preached to death. One should repent, confess the Savior, and walk uprightly, live a Christian every day. But Holiness rolling, Holiness dancing and many other

things they practice, we fear, instead of being holy, is an abomination.

Dr. Hindman was called to this place yesterday to see Tim Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bryant.

Wheat is being threshed in this community. It is extra good.

If the date is not changed later, and there is no providential hindrance, Rev. Bedford Turner, will begin a meeting at Clear Spring on Monday night after the fourth Sunday in August. He was here last year and was liked very much. He said when he came this year he would be the same only he expected to have more religion, and said he expected to get more and more so long as he lived.

A child about one year old of Bertha Floyd's died last Sunday morning.

Mr. June Montgomery and wife, guests of Mr. T. J. Bryant and family, last Sunday.

Mr. Edgar Ellis spent last week with his parents at Pellyton.

Mrs. W. T. Reynolds and little son Ralph, and Miss Anna Helm, visited Mrs. J. B. Montgomery, recently.

Rev. and Mrs. Wade, Bro. Lee and Mrs. Lee, Mr. McKinley, Miss Addie McKinley, Mr. Felix McKinley and family, took dinner with Mrs. Emma McKinley, last Sunday.

Mr. B. B. Montgomery has recovered from injuries sustained by a wagon running over him.

Hazel, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josh Montgomery is in low state of health.

KENTUCKY FARMERS REAP RICH HARVEST.

Revenue from Breeding Thoroughbred Horses Only Profit to Be Depended Upon.

Sale of Blooded Cows Produces Money When Other Products Bring Loss.

The Kentucky farmer has lost money on his wheat and corn; he is forced to ship his cattle and hogs to a losing and constantly falling market; and his losses on his tobacco have nearly driven him into bankruptcy. The calamities of a troubled world are placed upon his back, already bent double by its burdens.

Under these untoward conditions, the one fortunate exception among farmers is the stock raiser who owns one or more thoroughbred mares. He always finds a nation-wide demand for his thoroughbred foals. The weanling at its mother's side frequently brings him \$500 to \$1,000, while the yearling will sell for from \$1,500 to \$10,000; a colt from a Jefferson county farm having brought, at one of the recent Saratoga sales \$25,000.

Year in and year out, the Kentucky thoroughbred finds a ready market; buyers from all over the world coming to this State to secure material to improve the horses of their respective countries or localities. Owner Riddle refused \$500,000 for Man-O'-War, a horse bred by Mr. August Belmont in Old Kentucky. A wonder horse is Man-O'-War. A smasher of all records and victor over all opponents that made some of the most brilliant of turf history, he has been returned to his native hearth, there to perpetuate his great qualities. Last month, Man-O'-War's full brother, Playfellow, by name, was sold for \$115,000; and not long ago, John E. Madden refused \$125,000 for a half interest in the Kentucky-bred stallion, Friar Rock, now in the stud at Hamburg Place, near Lexington.

Numerous other thoroughbred stallions and mares of nearly, if not quite, priceless value are owned in the State. Wheat, corn and tobacco are often crop failures, and cattle and hogs are frequently raised at a loss. But the thoroughbred has a great permanent value, for nowhere else in this country is he brought to such perfection as in Kentucky, and his fame and the demand for him are world-wide.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Patton are housekeeping in a cottage, on Frazer Avenue, opposite Mrs. Tola Walker's residence.